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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Anisul Khan et al.

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FOR: APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING
SELF CLEANING METHOD OF FORMING
DEEP TRENCHES IN SILICON SUBSTRATES

§ GROUP ART UNIT: 1763

§ EXAMINER: G. A. Goudreau

§ Attorney Docket No.:
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Date: February 3, 2004

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

1. This is a petition for a one-month extension of the time to file a response to the Office Action mailed October 3, 2003 in the subject patent application. The due date for the response was January 3, 2004, and the present one month extension of time will provide for a response through February 3, 2004.

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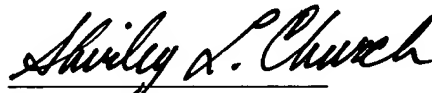
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2. Extension:	<u>Length of Extension</u>	<u>Fee Under 37 C.F.R. 1.17</u>
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	___ Four-Month	\$1,480.00

3. The accompanying transmittal letter shows this fee of \$ 110.00 for the one-month extension of time. The transmittal letter is submitted in duplicate for accounting purposes.

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